



Agenda Item Number: 2006-5-6C

BERNALILLO COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

Meeting Date: May 23, 2006

Department: Juvenile Detention Center **Staff Contact:** John P. Dantis, Deputy County
Manager for Public Safety
Tom Swisstack, BCJDC Director

TITLE: 2005/2006 State of New Mexico's Children, Youth and Families Department
Children's Community Mental Health Clinic Psychiatric Services Grant

ACTION: Motion to approve:

1. Financial Resolution **FR -2006** accepting \$100,000 from the State of New Mexico's Children, Youth and Families Department for behavioral health services for juvenile clients.
2. Authorize the County Manager to execute the grant agreement and any amendments hereafter.

SUMMARY:

The purpose of this agreement is to provide funding to contract for a certified child/adolescent psychiatrist to work with juvenile clients at the Bernalillo County Juvenile Detention Center's Children's Community Mental Health Clinic and to provide behavioral health assistance and services through the telemedicine system that will serve juvenile detention clients and Juvenile Probation and Parole Office (JPPO) clients statewide. Additional funding for the psychiatrist will be provided by a pending grant from Value Options of New Mexico, the State's Medicaid provider for behavioral health services. This grant will expire on June 30, 2007.

Psychiatric services provided will bring consistency to the quality of behavioral health services that children receive statewide. Targeted clients will be those children that are eligible for community based alternatives to detention. Services can include psychiatric testing, psychotropic medication management and family treatment. The match has been identified and budgeted.

This project is funded by the Federal Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention for the Juvenile Accountability Incentive Block Grant through the State of New Mexico's Children, Youth and Families Department. Therefore, the County is required to provide cash matching funds of \$11,111.00.

ATTACHMENT:

1. Financial Resolution **FR -2006**

FISCAL IMPACT

Funds for this grant have not been budgeted in BC07-588800-03SV. The financial resolution will establish the budget for this grant. Matching funds are available from BC01-566700-08PS.

STAFF ANALYSIS SUMMARY

COUNTY MANAGER

By accepting the \$100,000 grant, JDC will be able to provide psychiatric services which has become a critical component to juvenile reform. I recommend Board approval. TL 5/18/2006

DEPUTY COUNTY MANAGER FOR PUBLIC SAFETY

The services performed by the child/adolescent psychiatrist is critical to the success of the Bernalillo County Juvenile Detention Center Outpatient Mental Health Clinic. In addition to providing direct services, this person also acts as Clinical Director and consultant to the program. I recommend approval. J Dantis 5/11/06

LEGAL

Approved as to form. JSL 5/14/06

FINANCE

Budget	If approved, funding for the required match is available in line item BC01-566700-08PS. Nona Lane, Financial Services Administrator III 5/1/06
Purchasing	A comment is not required since the procurement of goods and services was not solicited. Joann Jim, Senior Buyer 5/4/2006
Contracts	A contract control number is not required for acceptance of grant monies by the County. Joann Jim, Senior Buyer 5/4/2006
Risk Management	Each party shall be solely responsible for fiscal and other sanctions occasioned as a result of its own violation or alleged violation or requirements applicable to the performance of the Agreement. Each party shall be liable for its actions according to this Agreement, subject to the immunities and limitations of the New Mexico Tort Claims Act. David A. Baca, Risk Management Administrator 5/1/06